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TAGS: CASC, CDES, ET(HAMMATT, WILLIAM & ANTLES, PETER)

SUBJECT: MISSING AMCITS PRESUMED DEAD

1. BACKGROUND: SUBJECTS HAVE BEEN MISSING IN ETHIOPIA SINCE FEBRUARY WHEN THEY ATTEMPTED WALK ALONG BLUE NILE FROM BAHIR DAR TO SHAFARTACK BRIDGE, AGAINST ADVICE OF THIS EMBASSY AND MANY INDIVIDUALS WITH WHOM THEY TALKED. IN SPITE OF EFFORTS LOCAL CID, NO TRACE OF THEM HAS BEEN FOUND AND WE PRESUMING THEY MET WITH VIOLENCE AND ARE DEAD. AREA KNOWN FOR BANDITS AND INSURGENTS WHO BATTLING MILITARY. WE PRKESENTLY ATTEMPTING ASCERTAIN LOCAL LEGAL REQUIREMENTS FOR PRESUMPTIVE DEATH IN ORDER PREPARE FS-192S AND INVENTORY EFFECTS LEFT AT HOTEL HERE.

2. DEPT INFORMED US THAT PHILLIP HANSEN, PC DIRECTOR RABAT, HAS SUITCASE BELONGING TO WILLIAM HAMMATT. REQUEST YOU VERIFY THIS WITH HANSEN, AND IF TRUE, PLEASE RETAIN SUITCASE FOR PREPARATION INVENTORY PER 7 FAM 445. 1-5, UPON RECEIPT FS-192 FROM US. HUMMEL

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